Application Number: 09/746,222 **Confirmation Number** REQUEST FOR Filing Date: December 26, 2000 **CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)** TRANSMITTAL First Named Inventor: Masahiro Tada Group Art Unit: 2115 Address to: Mail Stop RCE JUN 0 7 2005 Examiner: Cao, Chun Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Attorney Docket Number: 04329.2484 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Attorney Customer Number: 22,852 This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application. Request for Continued Examination (RCE) practice under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 does not apply to any utility or plant application filed prior to June 8, 1995, or to any design application. Submission required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114: Note: If the RCE is proper, any previously filed unentered amendments and amendments enclosed with the RCE will be entered in the order in which they were filed unless applicant instructs otherwise. If applicant does not wish to have any previously filed unentered amendment(s) entered, application must request non-entry of such amendment. Previously submitted. If a final Office action is outstanding, any amendments filed after the final Office action may be considered as a submission even if this box is not checked. Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on____ i. \Box ii. DO NOT ENTER the amendment(s) previously filed on ______. An alternate submission is attached. Information Disclosure Statement 図 Amendment/Reply iii. П i. ii. Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s) iv. Other _ Miscellaneous Suspension of action on the above-mentioned application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of [number] months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) required.) ☐ Other __ Fees 06/08/2005 SDENBOB1 00000035 09746222 a. The filing fee is calculated as follows: 01 FC:1801 790.00 OF \$790.00 RCE fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) i. Petition for extension of time for (_____Months) \$2 ii. iii. Other

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